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In a telephone interview with Examiner Andy Kashnikow on September 2, 2004, the Examiner and the undersigned discussed the status of the application. The Examiner indicated that the Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment Based on Failure to Receive Office Action Under 37 C.F.R. 1.181(a) filed March 17, 2003 would be granted. However, the Examiner noted that there was no Power of Attorney on file with respect to the undersigned.

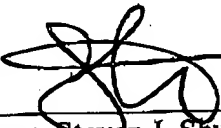
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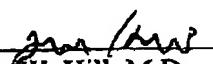
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are:

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